

Supplementary Fig. 1. Expression profile of miR-27b in breast cancer patients.

(a) Data from The Cancer Genome Atlas showing the miR-27b expression in luminal type breast cancer patients (n = 52) who received the taxane-based adjuvant chemotherapy. The *P*-value was calculated using Mann-Whitney *U* test.

(b) The expression level of miR-27b among the six matched pair cases that contained normal and cancer tissues in (a).

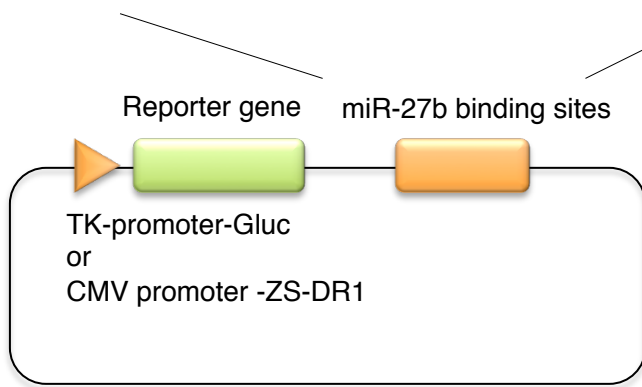
(c, d) Expression profiles of miR-24 and miR-27b in normal breast tissues and MCF7 cells. Data are represented as the mean \pm SD of n = 3 replicates.

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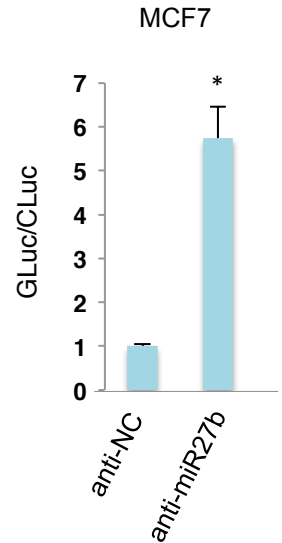
miR-27b mature sequence
 UUCACAGUGGCUAAGUUCUGC
 5'-TTCACAGTGGCTAAGTTCTGC-3'
 Complement sequence
 3'-AAGTGTCACCGATTCAAGACG-5'

b

The sequence inserted in the 3'UTR of miR-27b sensor vector
 5'-GGATCC-GCAGAACTTAGCCACTGTGAA-GCTAGC-
 GCAGAACTTAGCCACTGTGAA-GCGGCCGC-3'



c



Supplementary Fig. 2. Establishment of miR-27b knockdown cell lines.

(a, b) A schematic illustration of the miR-27b sensor construct used in the experiment shown in (b).
 (c) A dual-luciferase assay showing the efficiency of knockdown of miR-27b in MCF7-luc anti-miR-27b cells. Control cells (MCF7-luc anti-NC) stably expressed a non-specific antisense sequence. The cells were co-transfected with the pTK-GLuc-27bs and pSV40-CLuc vectors expressing *Gaussia* luciferase (GLuc) and *Cypridina* luciferase (CLuc), respectively. The level of miR-27b expression was determined as the ratio of GLuc to CLuc activity. Data are represented as the mean \pm SD of n = 3 replicates. Statistical significance was determined by Student's *t*-test (* $P < 0.05$).

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miR-27b mature sequence

UUCACAGUGGCUAAGUUCUGC

PPARG 3'UTR

NM_138711.3

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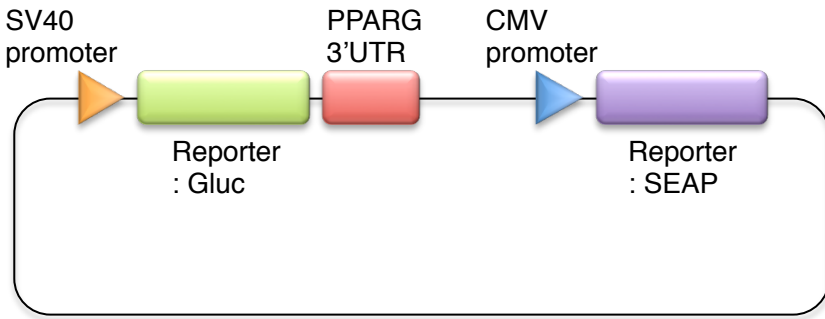
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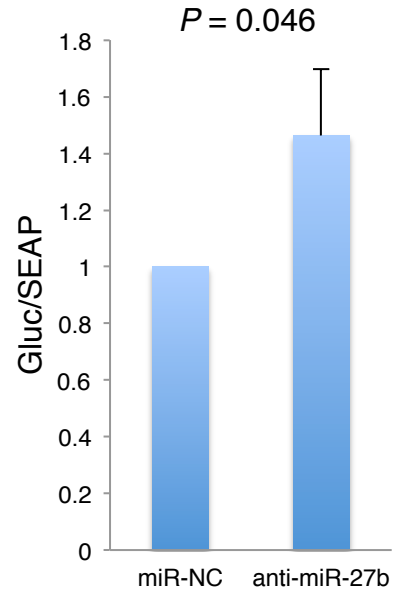
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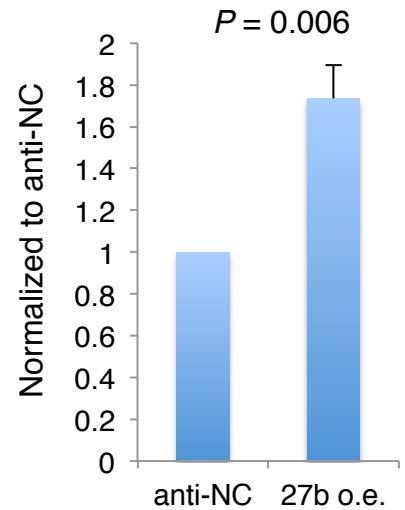
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MCF7 cells derivatives

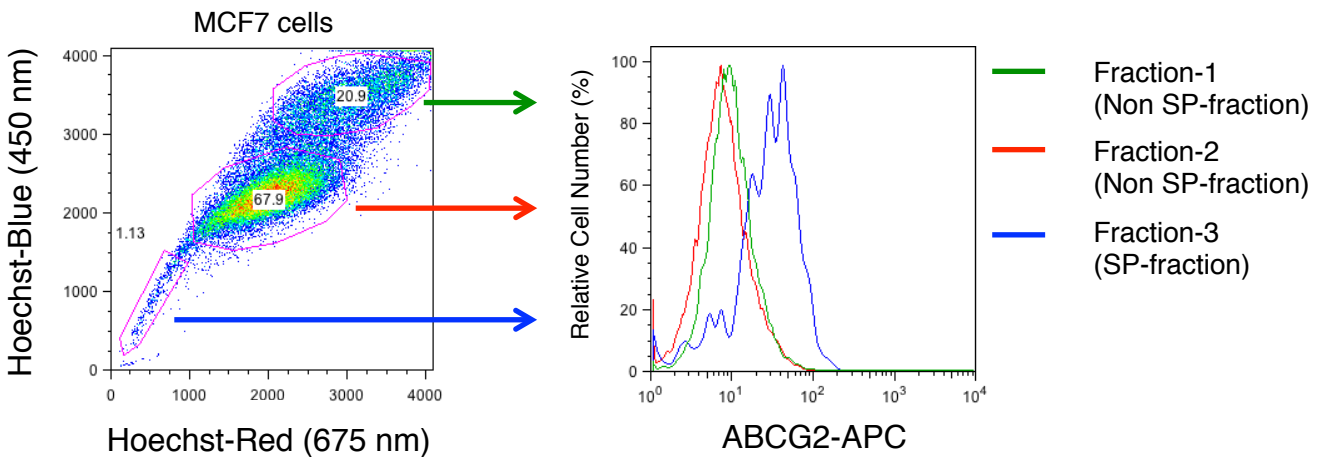


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MCF7 cells derivatives



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Supplementary Fig. 3. Construction of the *PPARG* 3'UTR vector.

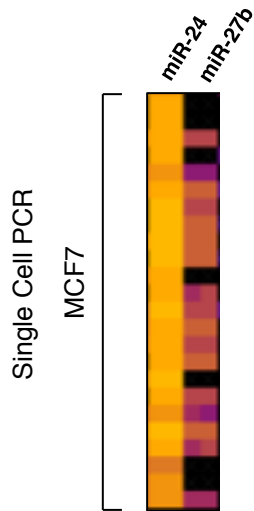
(a) A schematic illustration of the *PPARG* 3'UTR vector.

(b) A dual-luciferase assay showing the efficiency of knockdown of miR-27b in MCF7-luc anti-miR-27b cells. MCF7-luc anti-NC or MCF7-luc anti-miR-27b cells were transfected with the *PPARG* 3'UTR vector shown in (a). The level of miR-27b expression was determined as the ratio of *Gaussia* luciferase (GLuc) to *Cypridina* luciferase (CLuc) activity. Data are represented as the mean \pm SD of n = 3 replicates. Statistical significance was determined by Student's *t*-test.

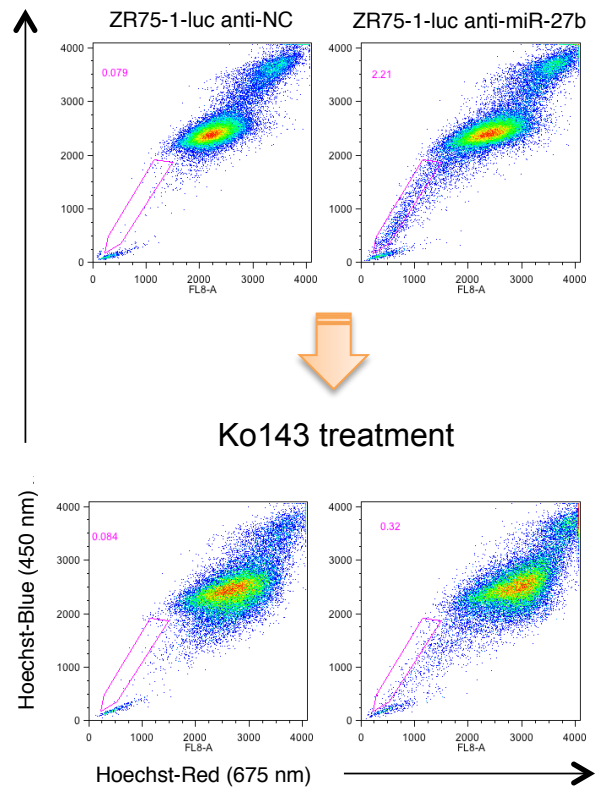
(c) Expression of miR-27b in MCF7-luc miR-27b o.e. cells. Data are represented as the mean \pm SD of n = 3 replicates. Statistical significance was determined by Student's *t*-test.

(d) Flow cytometric analysis of ABCG2 expression in the SP-fraction of MCF7 cells. FSC, forward scatter.

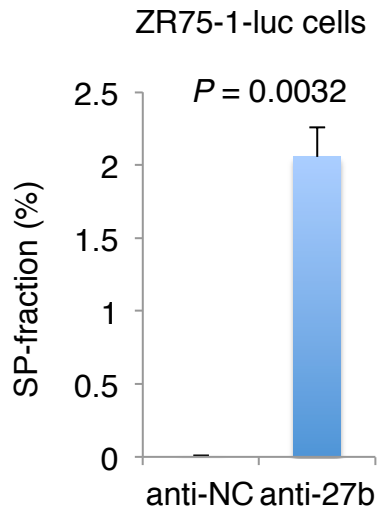
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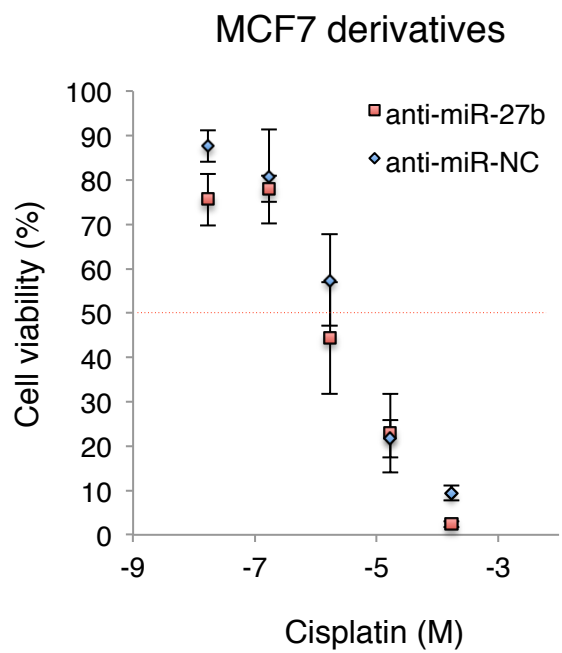
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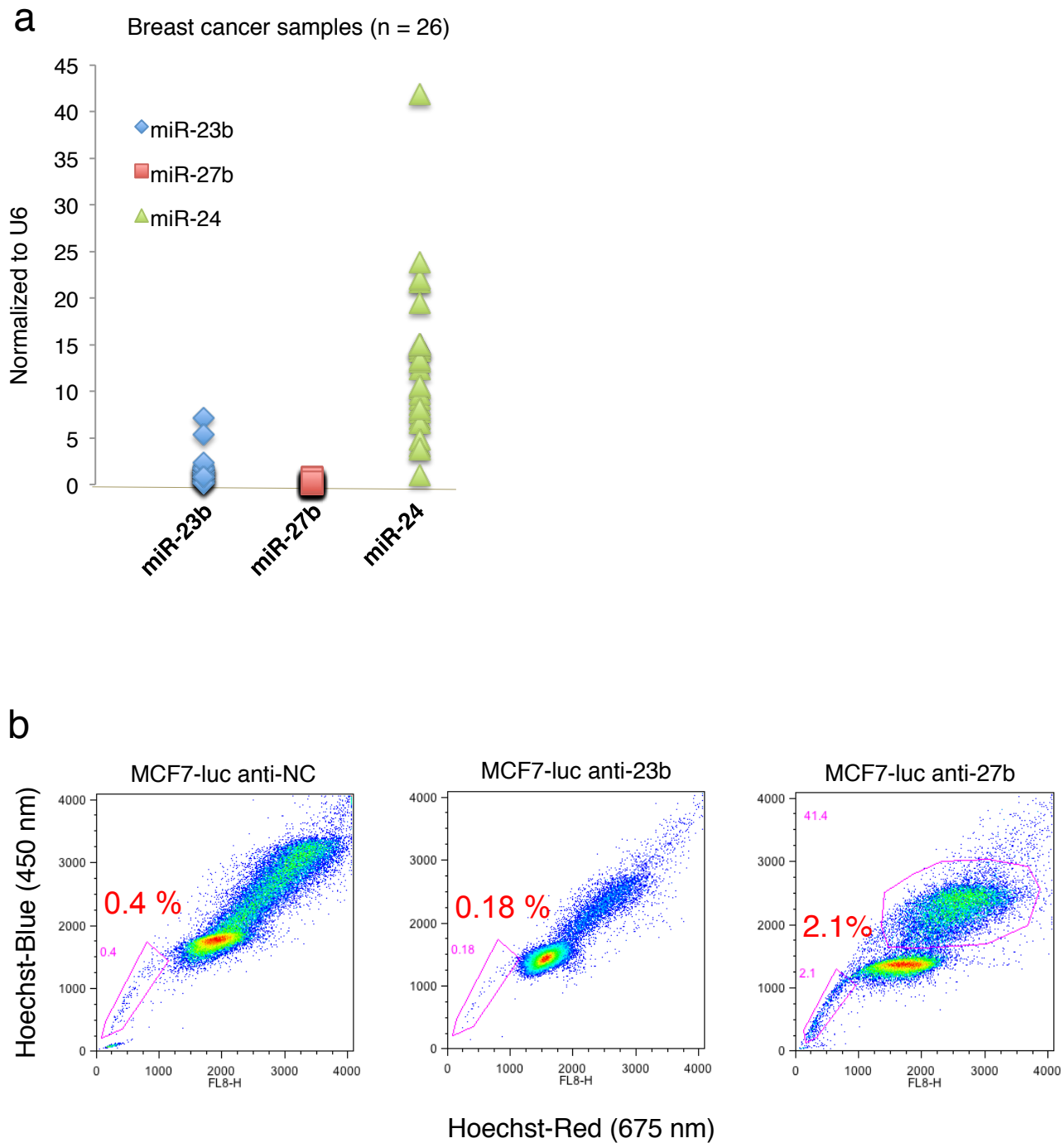
Supplementary Fig. 4. Down-regulation of miR-27b enhances the SP-fraction of ZR75-1 cells.

(a) Single cell qRT-PCR analyses of miR-24 and miR-27b expression in MCF7 cells. Expression levels were normalized to those of *RNU6B*.

(b) Flow cytometric analysis of the SP-fractions of ZR75-1-luc derivatives.

(c) Quantification of the SP-fractions of ZR75-1-luc derivatives. The SP-fraction was determined as the difference between the level of Hoechst 33342 staining in the presence and absence of the ABCG2 inhibitor Ko143. Data are represented as the mean \pm SD of $n = 3$ replicates. Statistical significance was determined by Student's *t*-test.

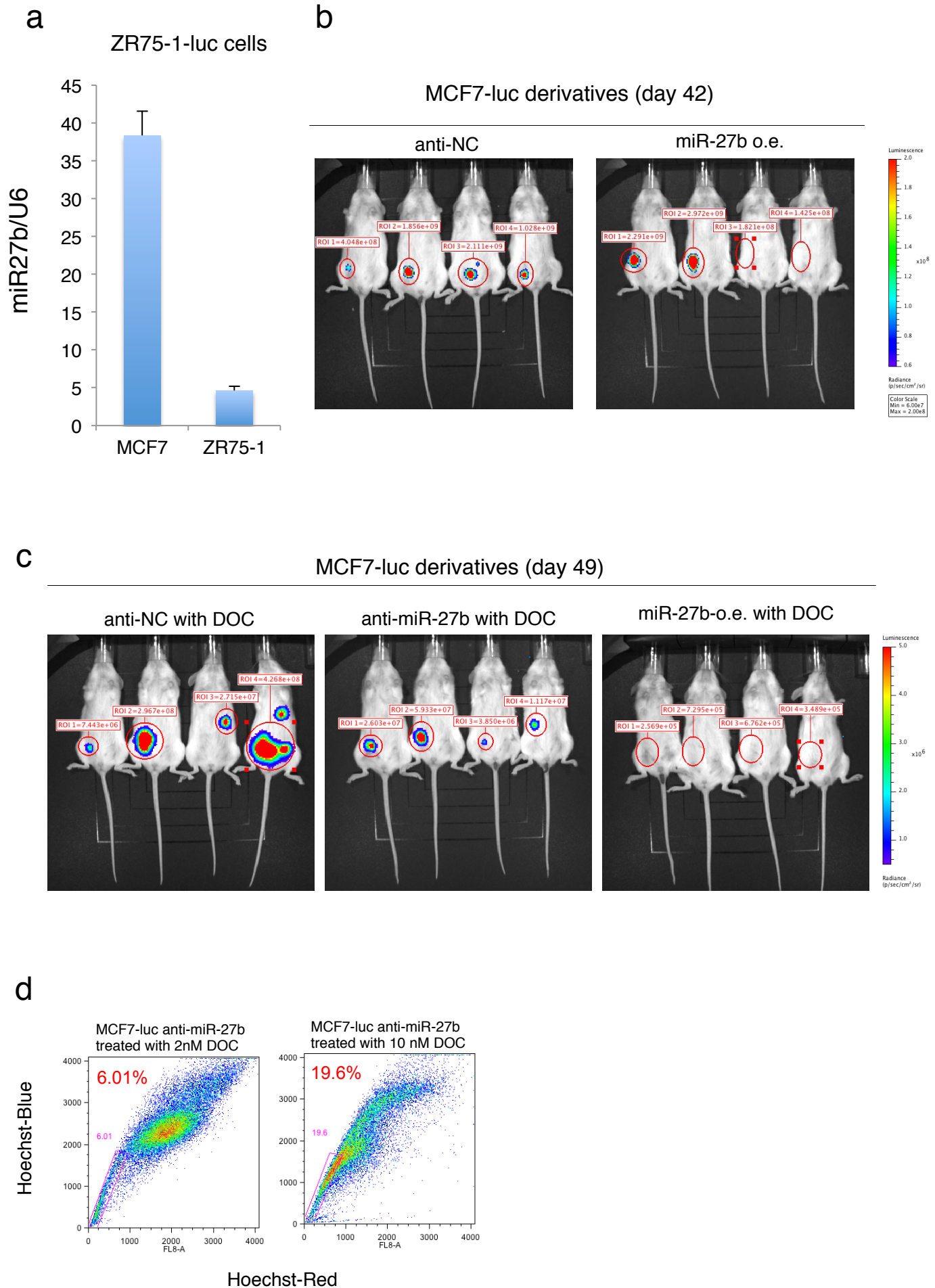
(d) Dose-response curves of MCF7-luc anti-NC and MCF7-luc anti-miR-27b cells treated with cisplatin. Cell viability was normalized to that of the corresponding cells treated with DMSO. The red dashed line indicates the IC_{50} value. Data are represented as the mean \pm SD of $n = 3$ replicates.



Supplementary Fig. 5. Functional analysis of miR-23b in MCF7 cells.

(a) Expression levels of miR-23b, miR-27b and miR-24 in NCC patients (n = 26).

(b) Flow cytometric analyses of the SP-fractions of MCF7-luc derivatives.



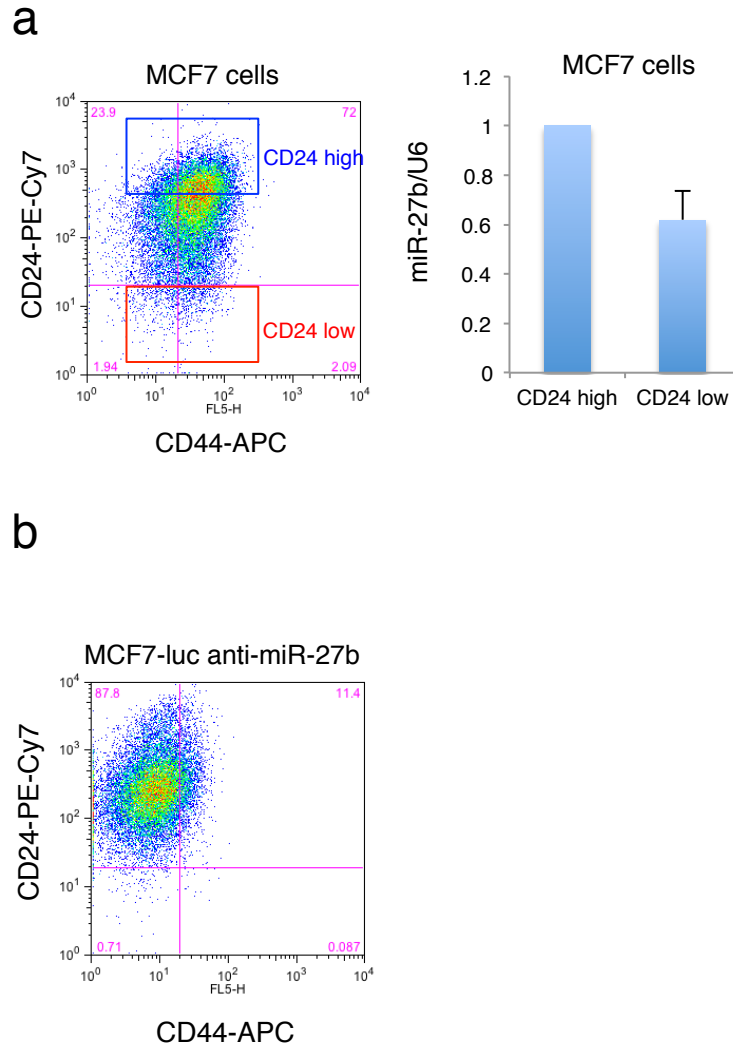
Supplementary Fig. 6. MiR-27b inhibits the generation of tumorigenic cells in the SP-fraction.

(a) A qRT-PCR analysis of relative miR-27b expression levels in MCF7 and ZR75-1 cells. The expression level of *RNU6B* was used for normalization. Data are represented as the mean \pm SD of n = 3 replicates.

(b) Bioluminescent images of tumours in NOD/SCID mice injected with MCF7-luc cell derivatives. The cells were injected into the mammary fat pad of the mice (n = 4 animals and 10^5 cells per animal).

(c) Bioluminescent images of tumours in NOD/SCID mice injected with docetaxel-treated MCF7-luc cell derivatives. After exposure to 5 nM docetaxel for 4 days, the cells were injected into the mammary fat pad of the mice (n = 4 animals and 10^5 cells per animal).

(d) Flow cytometric analysis of the SP-fraction of MCF7-luc anti-miR-27b cells that were treated with 2 nM or 10 nM docetaxel for 96 h.

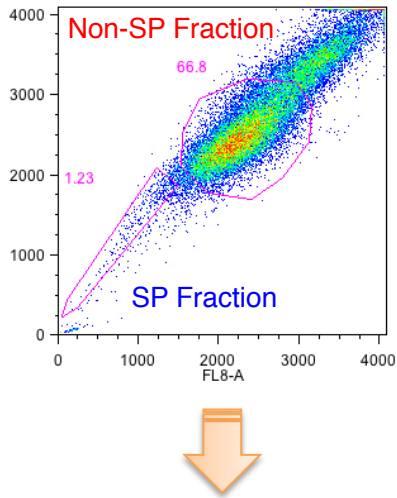


Supplementary Fig. 7. Expression level of miR-27b in CD24^{low} cell fraction.

(a) QRT-PCR analysis coupled with flow cytometry analysis in MCF7 cells.

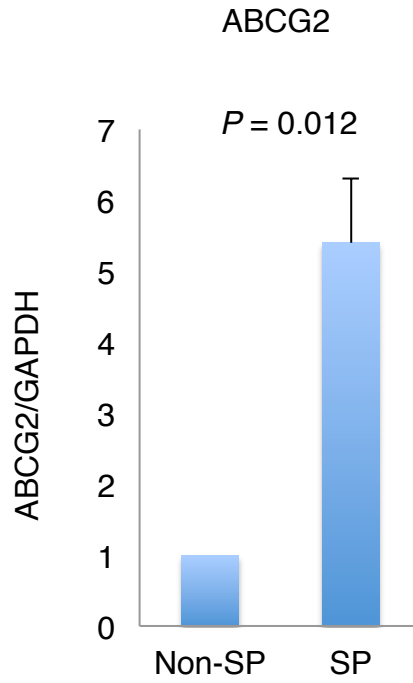
(b) Flow cytometry analysis of CD44 and CD24 expression in MCF7-luc anti-miR-27b cells.

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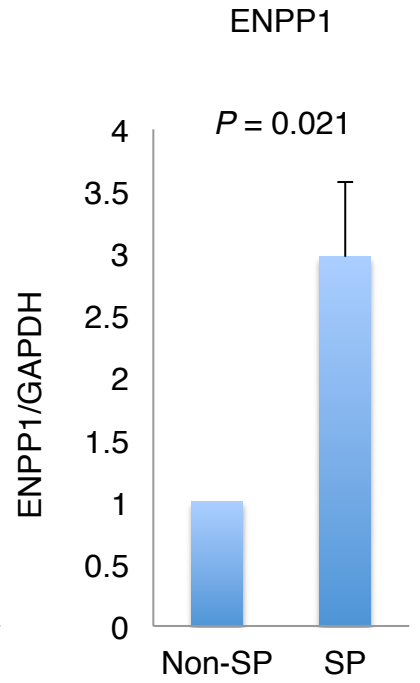


Cell sorting coupled with qPCR
(Supplementary Fig. 6d and e)

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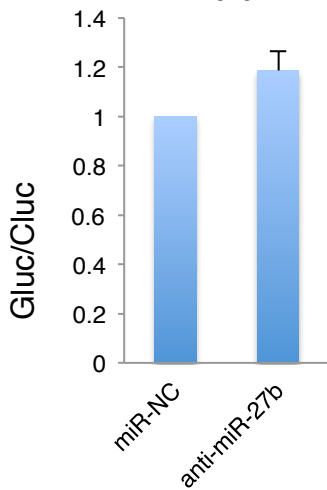


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ENPP1 3'UTR assay

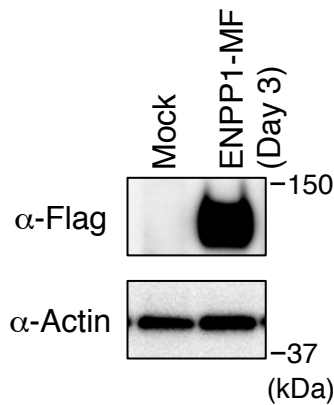
MCF7 cells

$P = 0.047$



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MCF7-luc
transfectants

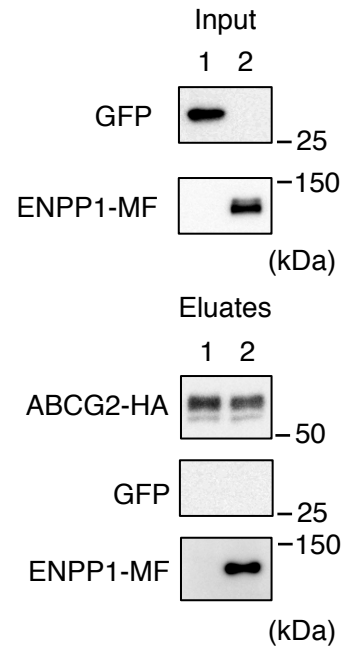


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293T cells

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2. ABCG2-HA+ENPP1-MF

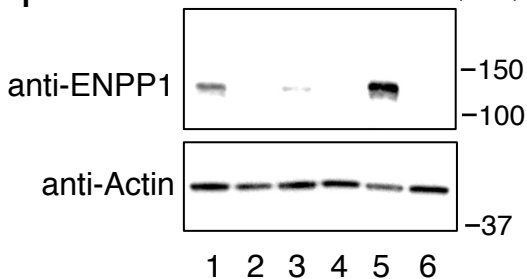
Co-IP with anti-HA



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293T cells

(kDa)



1. shNC
2. shENPP1 site1 (CDS)
3. shENPP1 site2 (3'UTR)
4. shENPP1 site3 (CDS)
5. shENPP1 site4 (CDS)
6. shENPP1 site5 (CDS)

Supplementary Fig. 8. Functional analysis of ENPP1.

(a–c) The expression levels of *ENPP1* and *ABCG2* in the SP-fraction of MCF7 cells, as determined by qRT-PCR analysis coupled with cell sorting. Data are represented as the mean \pm SD of $n = 3$ replicates. Statistical significance was determined by Student's *t*-test.

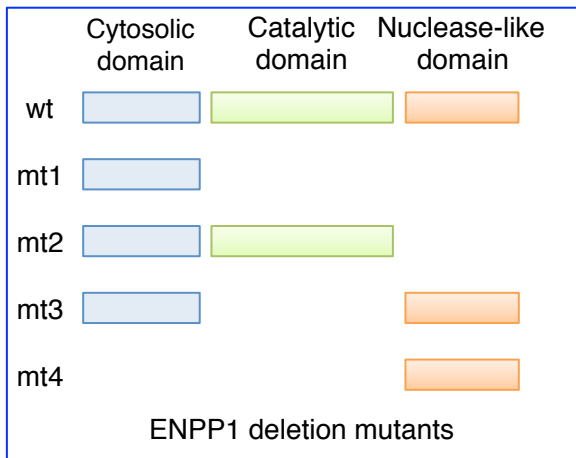
(d) Luciferase activities in MCF7 cells transfected with the pTK-GLuc reporter construct containing the wild-type 3'UTR of *ENPP1* (50 ng), an expression vector harbouring a miR-27b antisense sequence or a non-specific miRNA sequence (miR-NC), and the pSV40-cLuc vector (50 ng). The ratio of *Gaussia* to *Cypridina* luciferase activity was determined. Data are represented as the mean \pm SD of $n = 3$ replicates. Statistical significance was determined by Student's *t*-test.

(e) Immunoblot analysis of ENPP1 expression in mock transfected MCF7-luc cells or MCF7-luc cells transiently expressing ENPP1-MF.

(f) Efficiency of knockdown of ENPP1 in 293T cells.

(g) Co-immunoprecipitation analyses of 293T cells expressing ENPP1-MF and ABCG2-HA.

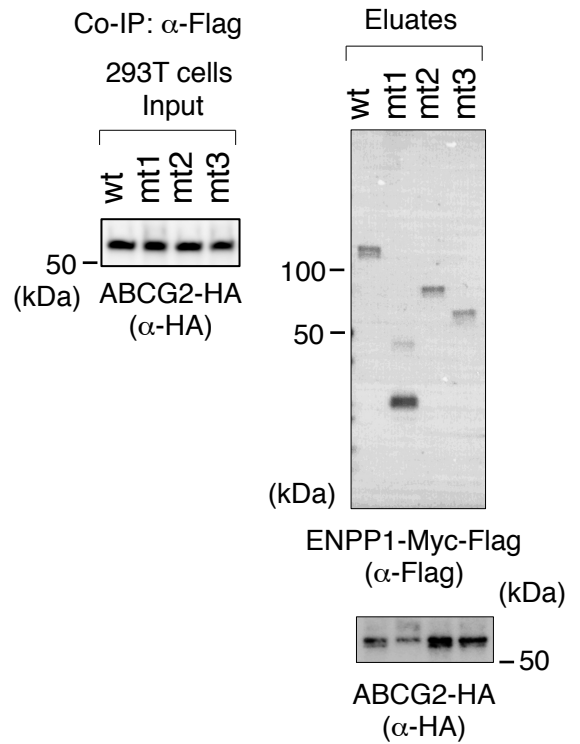
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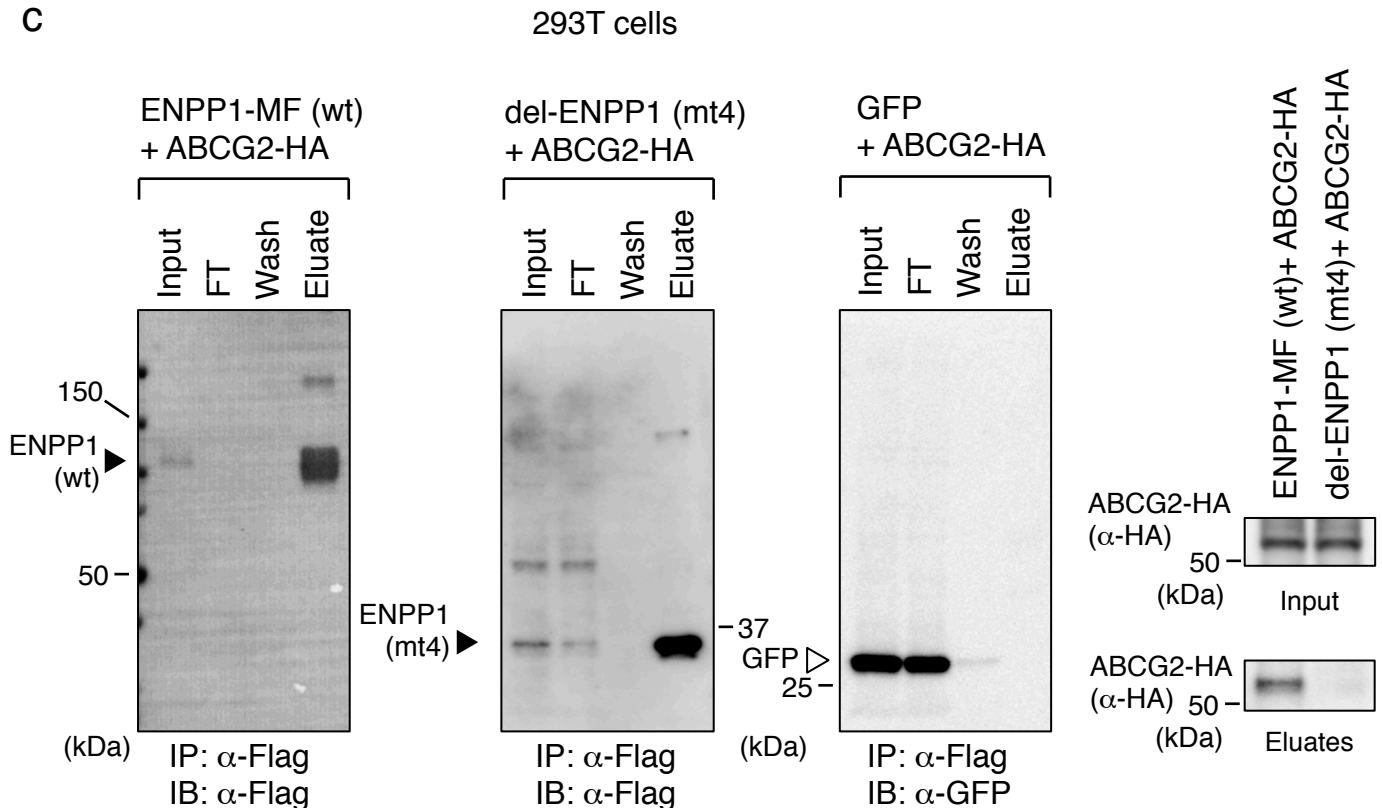
Co-immunoprecipitation with 293T cells

1. Co-transfection of ABCG2-HA and ENPP1 deletion mutants into 293T cells.
2. Co-immunoprecipitation with Flag-tag.

b

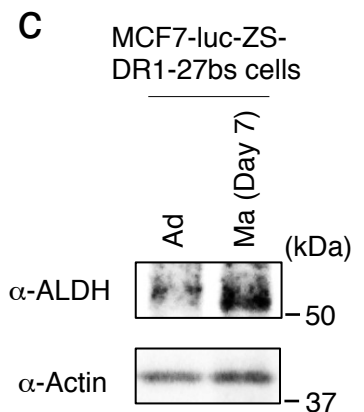
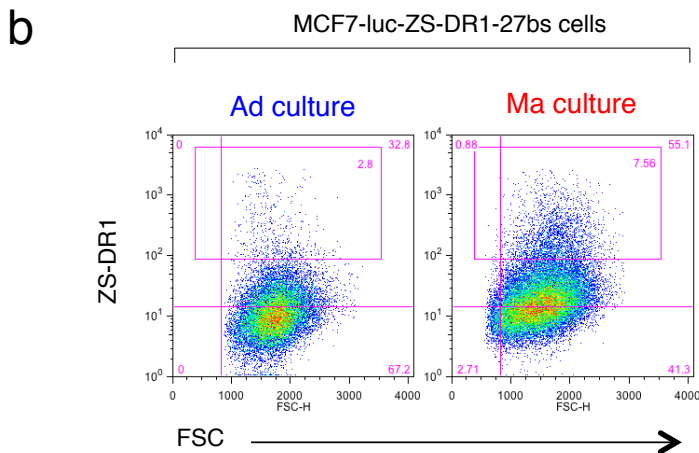
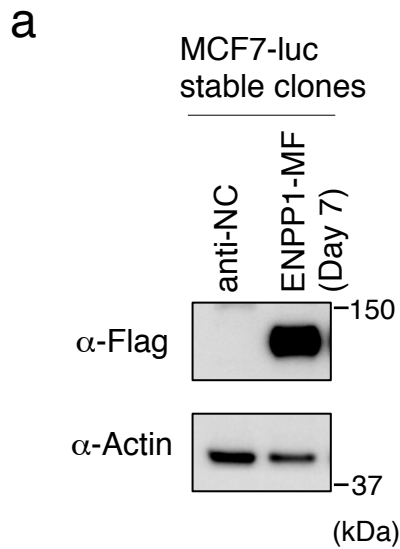


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Supplementary Fig. 9. The N-terminal region of ENPP1 is important for the physical interaction with ABCG2.

- (a) A schematic illustration of the ENPP1 deletion mutants used in the experiment shown in (b).
- (b) Co-immunoprecipitation analyses of 293T cells expressing ABCG2-HA and the ENPP1 deletion mutants.
- (c) Co-immunoprecipitation analyses of 293T cells expressing ABCG2-HA and ENPP1-MF, an ENPP1 deletion mutant (mt4), or GFP as a control.

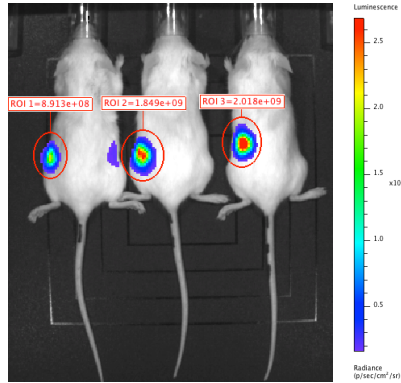


Supplementary Fig. 10. Mammosphere culture for CSC generation.

- (a) Immunoblot analyses of ENPP1 expression in MCF7-luc cells stably expressing ENPP1-MF.
- (b) Flow cytometric analysis of ZS-DR1 positive cells, representing those in which miR-27b was down-regulated, grown under adherent (Ad) and mammosphere (Ma) culture conditions.
- (c) Immunoblot analysis of ALDH expression in MCF7-luc ZS-DR1-27bs cells grown under Ad or Ma culture conditions for 7 days. b-actin was used as a loading control.

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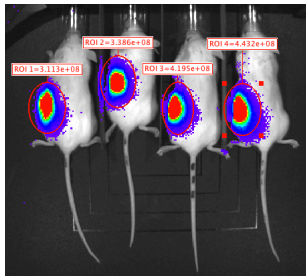
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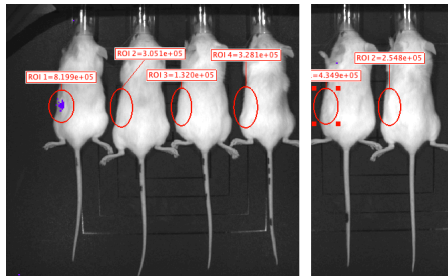
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MCF7-luc derivatives (day 31)

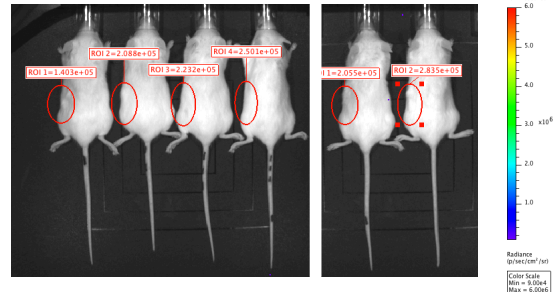
MCF7-luc ZS-DR1-27bs
(as technical control)



MCF7-luc shENPP1+DMSO



MCF7-luc shENPP1+DOC

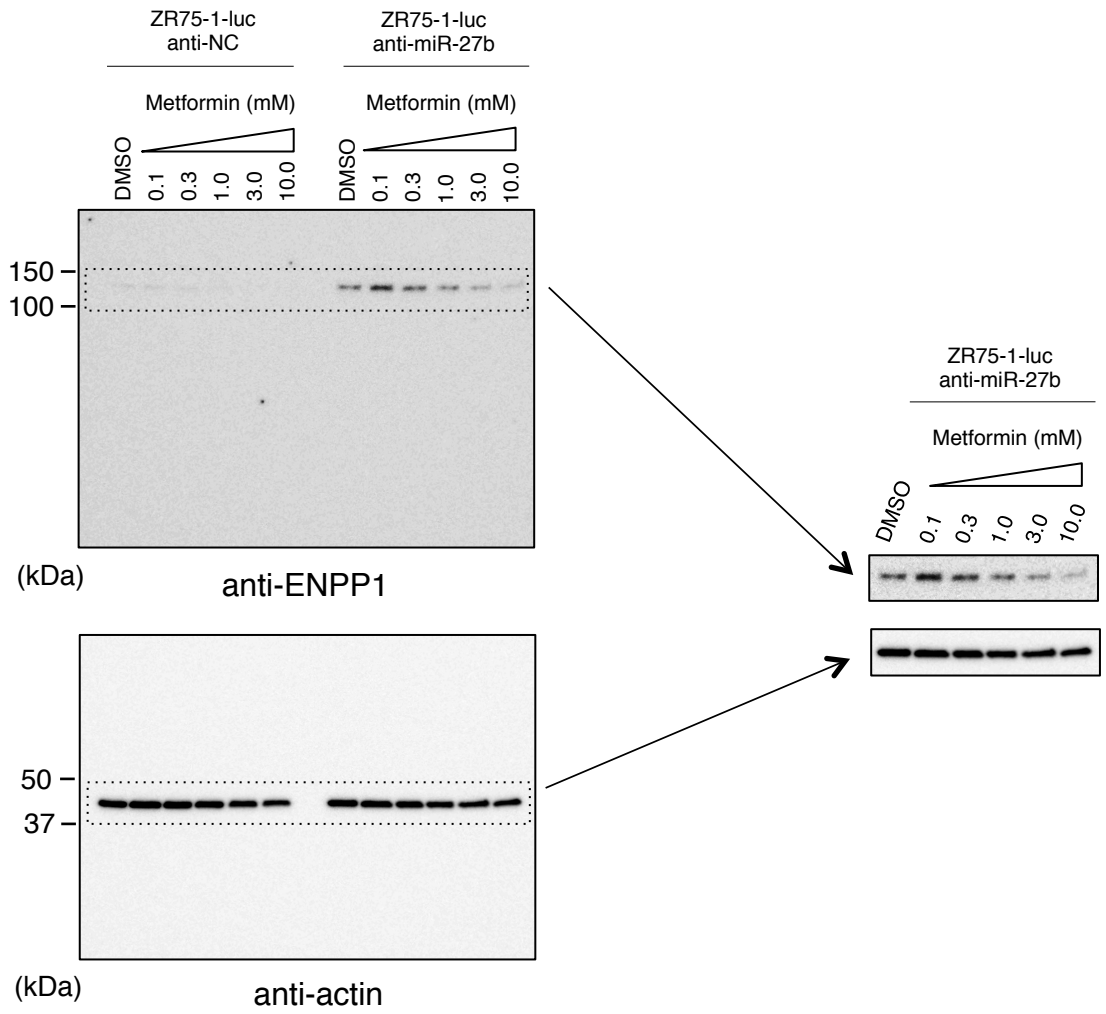


Supplementary Fig. 11. The role of ENPP1 in tumourigenicity of MCF7-luc cells.

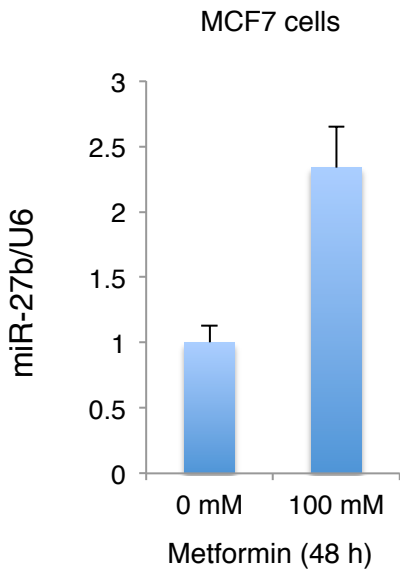
(a) Bioluminescent images of tumours in NOD/SCID mice that were subcutaneously injected with MCF7-luc ENPP1-MF cells (n = 3 animals and 10^6 cells per animal).

(b) Bioluminescence images of tumours in NOD/SCID mice that were injected with or without docetaxel-treated MCF7-luc cell derivatives. After exposure to 5 nM docetaxel for 4 days, the cells were injected into the mammary fat pad of the mice (n = 6 animals and 10^5 cells per animal). MCF7-luc ZS-DR-27bs cells were used as a positive control (n = 4 animals and 10^5 cells per animal).

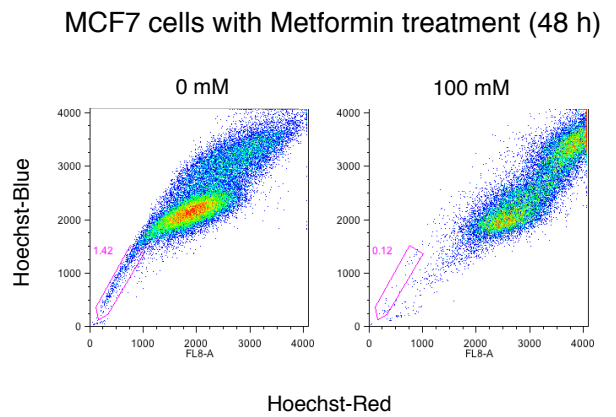
a **Figure 8b**



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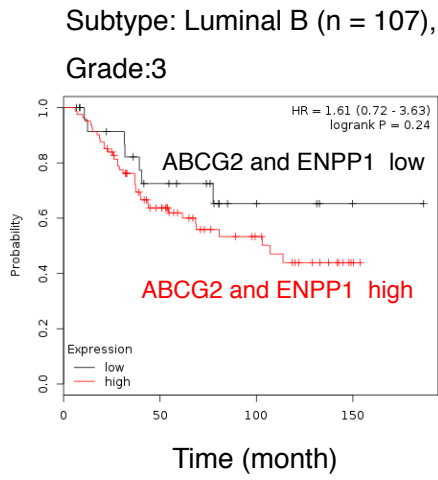
Supplementary Fig. 12. Metformin induces miR-27b-mediated suppression of ENPP1.

(a) Original data of western blot analysis in Figure 8b. Immunoblot analyses of ENPP1 expression in ZR75-1-luc anti-NC and anti-miR-27b cells incubated with metformin (0.1–10 mM) for 72 h. b-actin was used as a loading control.

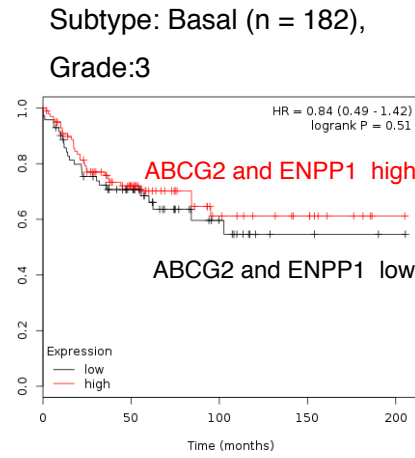
(b) QRT-PCR analysis in MCF7 cells after 48 h incubation of 100 mM metformin. Data are represented as the mean \pm SD of n = 3 replicates.

(c) Flow cytometric analysis of the SP-fractions of MCF7 cells after 48 h incubation of 100 mM metformin.

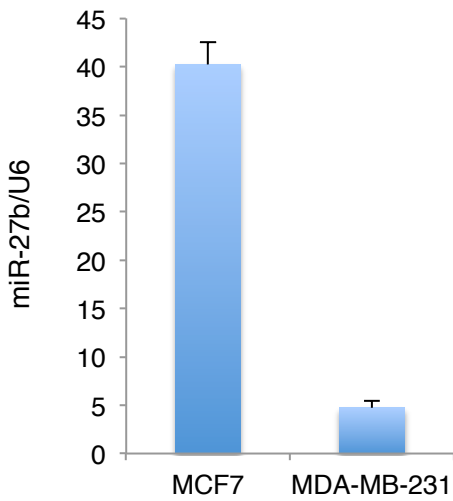
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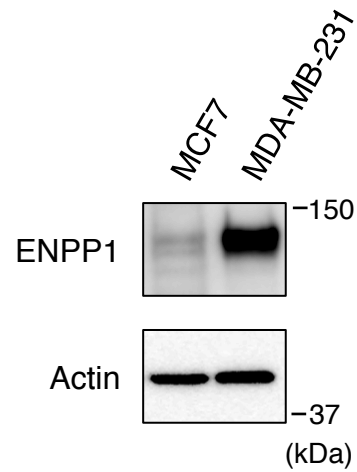
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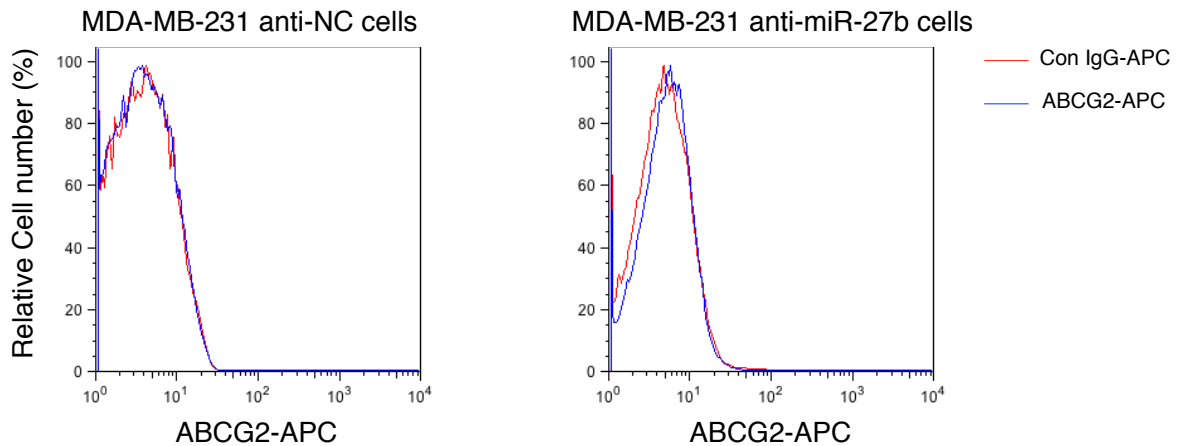
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Supplementary Fig. 13. Evaluation of miR-27b, ENPP1 and ABCG2 expression in luminal B and basal-type breast cancer.

(a) Kaplan-Meier representation of the probability of recurrence-free survival in 107 luminal B-type breast cancer cases classified according to the expression levels of *ABCG2* and *ENPP1*. The *P*-value was calculated using a log rank test.

(b) Kaplan-Meier representation of the probability of recurrence-free survival in 182 basal-type breast cancer cases classified according to the expression levels of *ABCG2* and *ENPP1*. The *P*-value was calculated using a log rank test.

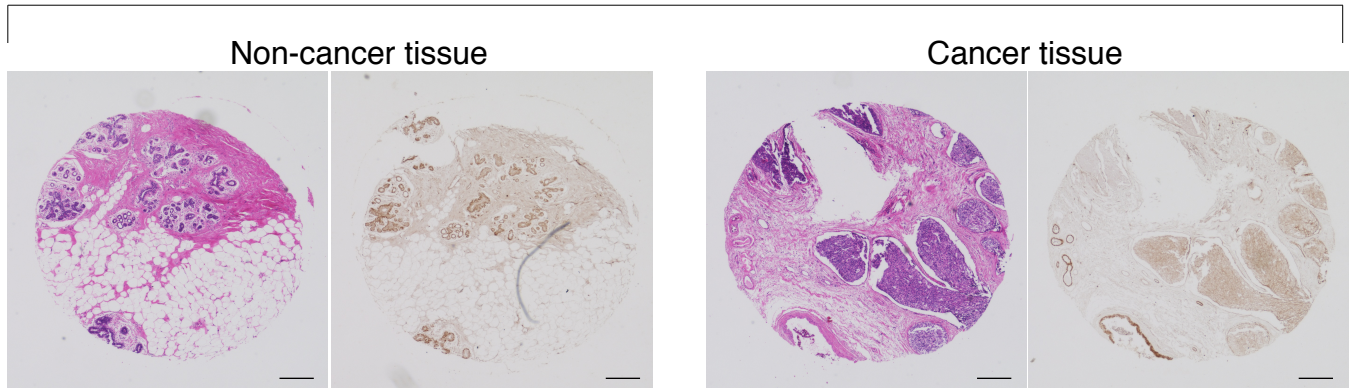
(c) A qRT-PCR analysis of relative miR-27b expression levels in MCF7 and basal-type MDA-MB-231 breast cancer cells. The expression level of *RNU6B* was used for normalization. Data are represented as the mean \pm SD of $n = 3$ replicates.

(d) The expression level of ENPP1 protein in MCF7 and MDA-MB-231 cells.

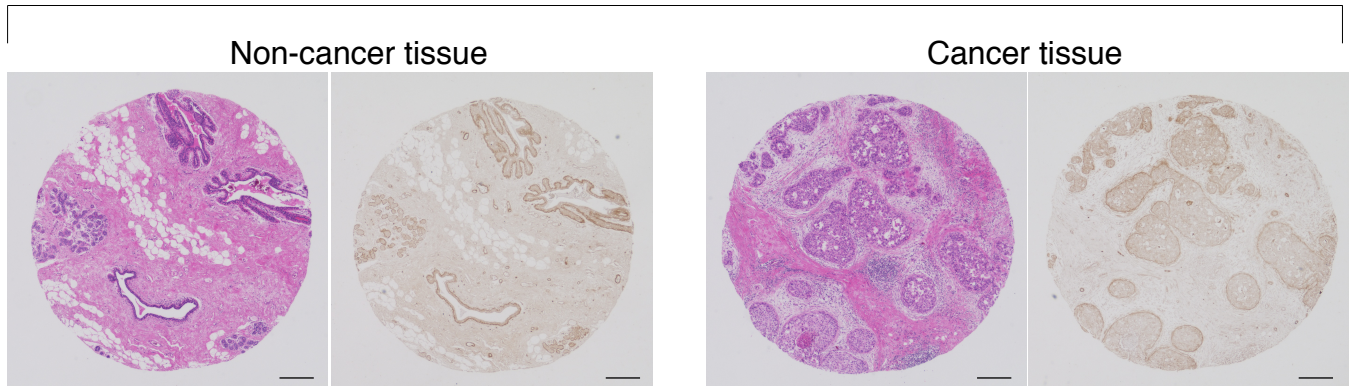
(e) Flow cytometric analysis of MDA-MB-231 derivatives.

Patient ID	Diagnosis	Stage
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Patient_2	Infiltrating ductal carcinoma	IIA
Patient_3	Infiltrating ductal carcinoma	IIIC

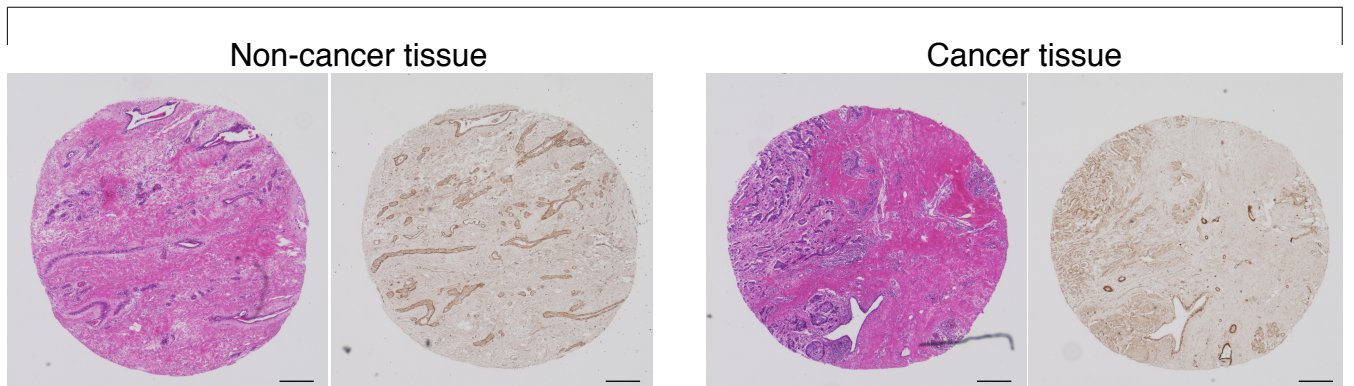
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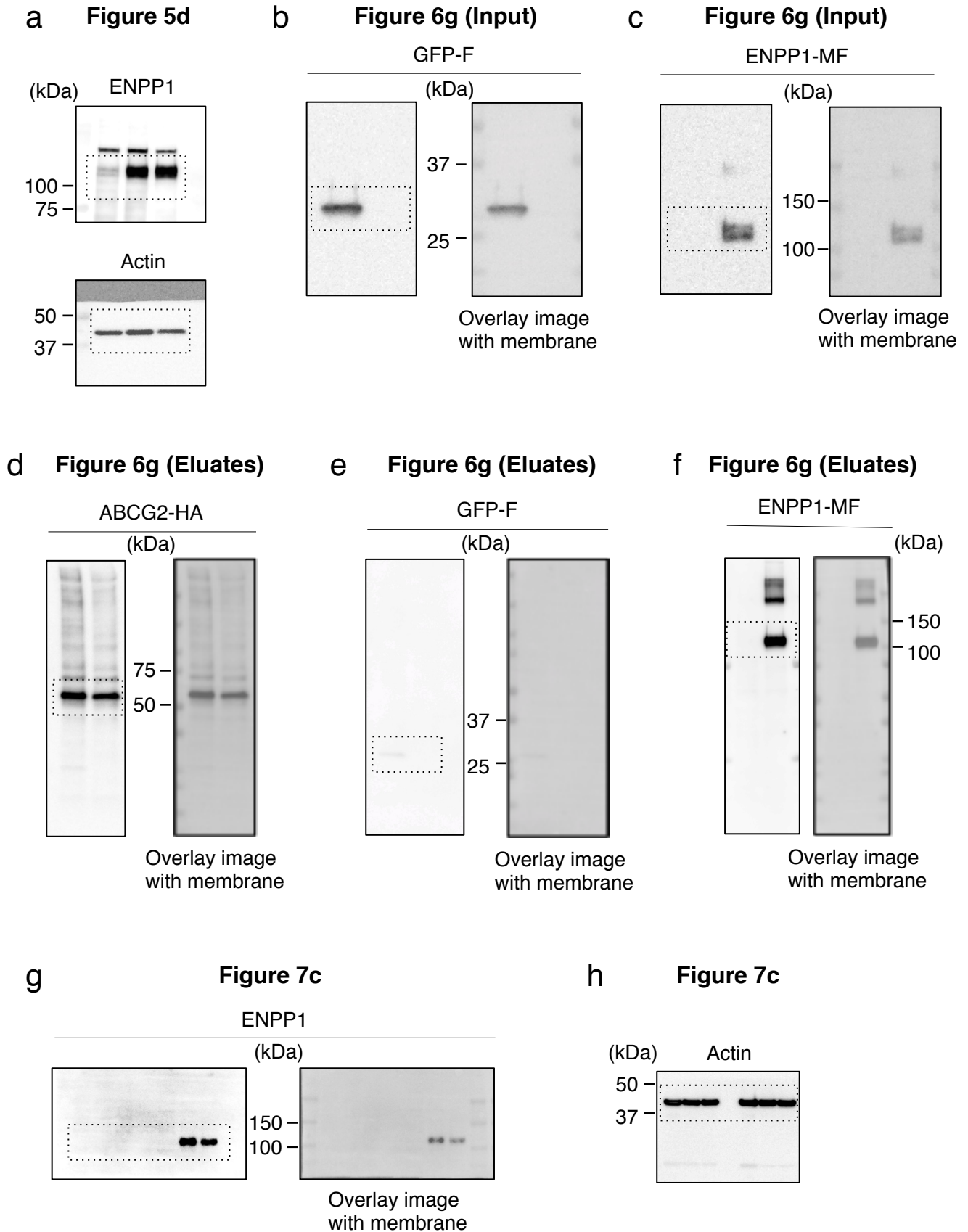


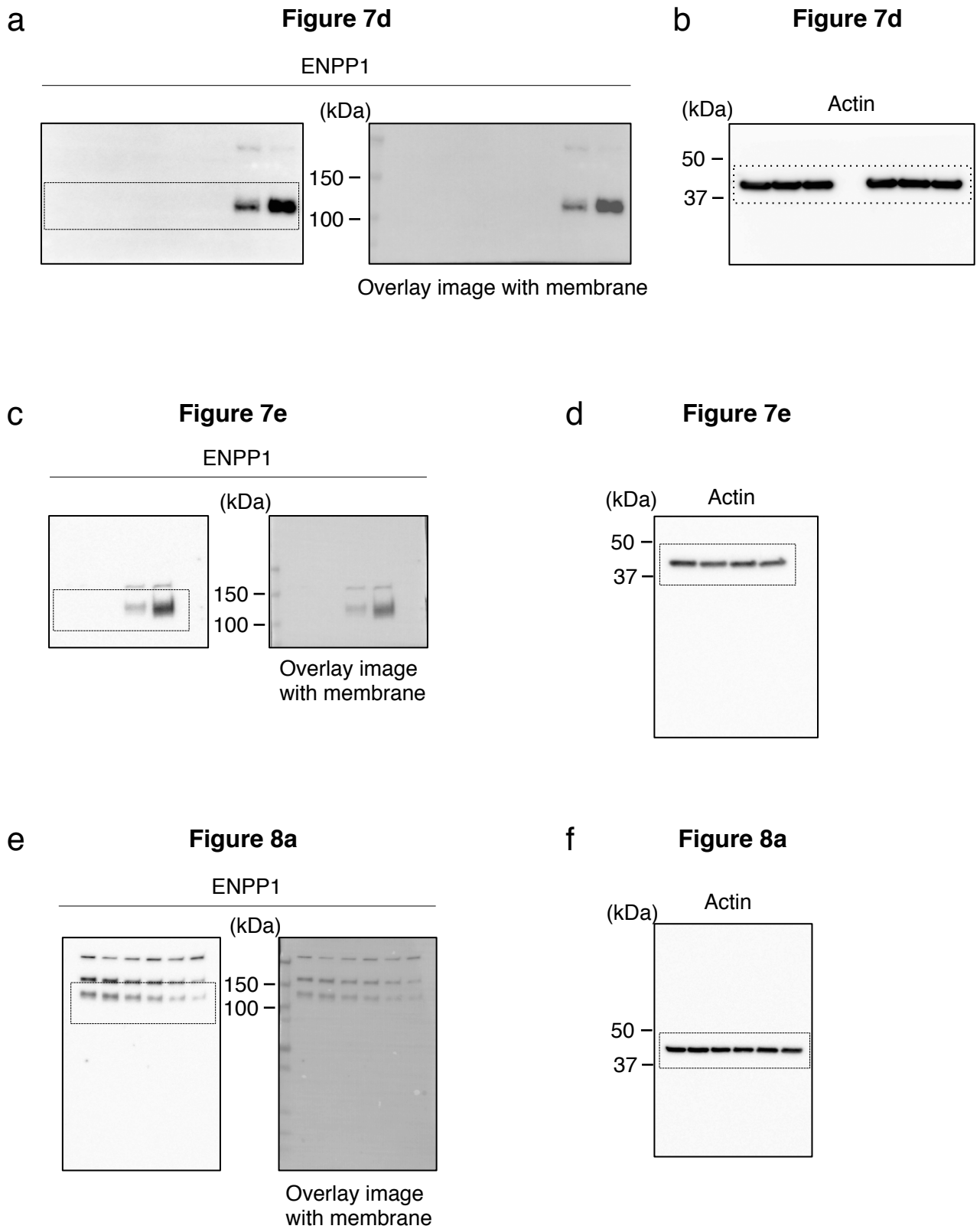
Patient_3



Supplementary Fig. 14. The expression of ENPP1 in breast cancer tissues.

Immunohistochemical staining of ENPP1 (brown) in normal breast and cancer tissues classified by the T-stage, as shown in the upper panel. Scale bar, 200 mm.





Supplementary Table 1

Patient ID	Recurrence	Subtype (Luminal)
1	non recurrence	A
2	non recurrence	A
3	recurrence	B
4	non recurrence	A
5	recurrence	B
6	non recurrence	A
7	recurrence	B
8	recurrence	A
9	recurrence	B
10	recurrence	A
11	recurrence	B
12	recurrence	B
13	non recurrence	B
14	recurrence	A
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17	non recurrence	B
18	non recurrence	A
19	recurrence	A
20	non recurrence	A
21	recurrence	B
22	recurrence	B
23	non recurrence	A
24	non recurrence	A
25	non recurrence	A
26	non recurrence	B

Clinical information of breast cancer patients in NCC

Supplementary Table 1. Clinical parameters of the breast cancer patients included in the study.

Supplementary Table 2

		up-regulated genes			down-regulated genes						
		: Fold change (> 2-fold, $p < 0.05$)			: Fold change (< 0.7-fold, $p < 0.05$)						
rank	GeneName	SystematicName	MCF7-luc anti-NC			MCF7-luc anti-miR-27b			MCF7-luc miR-27b o.e		
			Normalized	Raw	FoldChange	Normalized	Raw	FoldChange	Normalized	Raw	FoldChange
1	UGT2B15	NM_001076	0.171823992	70.500435	1	6.803261294	2553.0068	39.59436176	0.086143634	32.29355	0.501348114
2	UGT2B11	NM_001073	0.171146738	70.22255	1	3.593965351	1348.6808	20.99932137	0.108496138	40.67306	0.63393635
3	ENPP1	NM_006208	0.085093503	34.914383	1	1.37263545	515.0987	16.13090773	0.053297941	19.980349	0.626345591
4	PP14571	NR_024014	0.056929084	23.358343	1	0.881845047	330.92322	15.49023773	0.030569865	11.46004	0.536981503
5	TNFRSF11B	NM_002546	0.11758256	48.244843	1	1.778106577	667.2568	15.12219649	0.056300362	21.10589	0.47881558
6	TNFRSF11B	NM_002546	0.122226414	50.15024	1	1.845322535	692.48016	15.09757568	0.07817437	29.306038	0.639586548
7	FAM189A2	NM_004816	0.090335083	37.065037	1	1.292743186	485.11792	14.31053298	0.055410327	20.772242	0.613386577
8	TNFRSF11B	NM_002546	0.137708164	56.502502	1	1.922388869	721.4	13.95987579	0.085222247	31.948132	0.618861252
9	TNFRSF11B	NM_002546	0.142341732	58.40369	1	1.890044628	709.26245	13.27821857	0.086547413	32.444923	0.608025569
10	TNFRSF11B	NM_002546	0.142962849	58.65853	1	1.802740326	676.50085	12.60985167	0.061049953	22.886427	0.427033691
11	TNFRSF11B	NM_002546	0.160841578	65.99428	1	1.906004466	715.25183	11.85019751	0.078190433	29.312054	0.48613321
12	LHPF	NM_005780	0.130971353	53.738346	1	1.359304761	510.09604	10.37864178	0.067282037	25.222712	0.513715675
13	ENTPD8	NM_001033113	0.193029025	79.20099	1	1.871061203	702.1387	9.693159897	0.128777951	48.276314	0.667142937
14	DHRS2	NM_182908	3.394289693	1392.6978	1	32.83051327	12320.057	9.672277926	1.722935269	645.8944	0.507598179
15	TIMP3	NM_000362	0.102712787	42.14368	1	0.847886664	318.18008	8.254928046	0.036234304	13.583528	0.352773061
16	KRTAP3-1	NM_031958	0.140965146	57.83886	1	1.047291309	393.00903	7.429434435	0.079545399	29.820005	0.564291256
17	KRTAP3-1	NM_031958	0.149649794	61.40222	1	0.964022382	361.7614	6.441855717	0.095142728	35.66714	0.635769186
18	PTGER4	NM_000958	0.399231096	163.80688	1	2.393677017	898.2565	5.995717876	0.262617325	98.450096	0.657807791
19	TFF3	NM_003226	0.920477767	377.67783	1	5.279932918	1981.36	5.736078707	0.517156093	193.87164	0.561834421
20	PTPN21	NM_007039	0.431412176	177.011	1	2.391293147	897.36273	5.542943108	0.261688041	98.10169	0.606584736
21	FAM129A	NM_052966	0.170983901	70.15574	1	0.922551024	346.19864	5.395543195	0.11053901	41.438915	0.646487822
22	TFF3	NM_003226	14.9351125	6127.968	1	79.50953624	29836.94	5.323665036	5.919430981	2219.0793	0.396343247
23	GPC6	NM_005708	0.105244358	43.182404	1	0.515525659	193.45738	4.8983686	0.054362466	20.379412	0.516535675
24	AKO94885	AKO94885	0.087153765	35.75972	1	0.408925178	153.45425	4.691996704	0.05102245	19.127312	0.58543025
25	TFF3	NM_003226	76.46270321	31373.123	1	356.9464887	133948.48	4.668243127	30.72380515	11517.751	0.401814268
26	SERPINA3	NM_001085	0.131265619	53.85908	1	0.597163267	224.09294	4.549274	0.045063847	16.893549	0.343302745
27	EPB41L2	NM_001431	0.064537267	26.48004	1	0.291786755	109.49659	4.521213356	0.032943051	12.349697	0.510450051
28	PRSS23	NM_007173	0.750971665	308.1283	1	3.355039612	1259.0206	4.467598136	0.473390021	177.46458	0.630370017
29	EPHA4	NM_004438	1.2391712	508.43942	1	5.3652396	2013.3721	4.329700043	0.803630336	301.26514	0.648522444
30	EPHA4	NM_004438	1.198946597	491.93494	1	5.113476961	1918.8965	4.264974749	0.802452733	300.82376	0.669298145
31	EPHA4	NM_004438	1.157666948	474.9978	1	4.919559017	1846.1251	4.249546061	0.74135299	277.91864	0.640385382
32	KRT32	NM_002278	0.232965173	95.58703	1	0.983189459	368.95398	4.220328072	0.155631554	58.343204	0.668046439
33	EPHA4	NM_004438	1.238061971	507.98453	1	5.220335758	1958.9961	4.216538332	0.788284657	295.51245	0.636708562
34	NRCAM	NM_001037132	0.756246193	310.29248	1	3.185705711	1195.4761	4.212524626	0.230725122	86.4943	0.305092606
35	EPHA4	NM_004438	1.241095816	509.2292	1	5.18871214	1947.1288	4.18075065	0.804057555	301.4253	0.647860983
36	ADM	NM_001124	1.63416516	670.50793	1	6.509085207	2442.6145	3.983125675	0.629032542	235.81189	0.384925929
37	ADM	NM_001124	1.816843559	745.4621	1	7.115827808	2670.303	3.916588071	0.677379096	253.93611	0.372832924
38	NEFH	NM_0021076	0.125081298	51.321617	1	0.479550083	179.95706	3.833907155	0.080573855	30.205551	0.644171885
39	ADM	NM_001124	1.778208014	729.60944	1	6.701551789	2514.8406	3.768710824	0.680892619	255.25328	0.382909431
40	ADM	NM_001124	1.798189992	737.8079	1	6.753095688	2534.182	3.755496204	0.681275297	255.39674	0.37886725
41	ADM	NM_001124	1.80274866	739.6788	1	6.65968343	2499.1287	3.694182986	0.6898642	258.6165	0.382673534
42	ADM	NM_001124	1.688242092	692.6958	1	6.151666105	2308.4893	3.643829361	0.650337238	243.79866	0.385215628
43	ADM	NM_001124	1.825600384	749.05524	1	6.643480669	2493.0486	3.63906621	0.659841078	247.3614	0.36143785
44	LMO2	NM_005574	0.453496839	186.07256	1	1.626638922	610.4163	3.586880397	0.278231275	104.30343	0.613524176
45	RGAG4	NM_001024455	0.402949542	165.33266	1	1.418184762	532.1914	3.519509548	0.240257038	90.06762	0.596245964
46	LMO2	NM_005574	0.457166248	187.57812	1	1.583777204	594.3319	3.464335372	0.276912503	103.80904	0.605715107
47	FGF13	NM_004414	0.082078405	33.67727	1	0.27955683	104.907196	3.405973004	0.050146576	18.798962	0.610959435
48	NRCAM	NM_001193582	0.254636282	104.478806	1	0.862461762	323.64948	3.387034073	0.09525682	35.70991	0.374089739
49	EDN1	NM_001955	4.307102927	1767.2314	1	14.48592394	5436.026	3.363263935	2.864144142	1073.7109	0.664981588
50	LMO2	NM_005574	0.458303021	188.04456	1	1.540295945	578.0153	3.360867974	0.26935443	100.97565	0.587721263

Supplementary Table 2. Identification of miR-27b targets.

Candidate miR-27b target genes that were up-regulated in MCF7-luc anti-miR-27b cells and down-regulated in MCF7-luc miR-27b o.e. cells compared with MCF7-luc cells. The total RNA was labelled with Cy3 using the Low Input Quick Amp Labeling Kit (Agilent) and hybridized to a SurePrint G3 Human GE 8x60 K array (Agilent), according to the manufacturer's protocol. Data analysis was performed using GeneSpring software.

Supplementary Table 4

Primer name	Nucleotide sequence
For qPCR GAPDH Fw GAPDH Rv ENPP1 Fw ENPP1 Rv ABCG2 Fw ABCG2 Rv	TGAAGGTCGGAGTCAACGATTTGGT GAAGATGGTGATGGGATTTC GAACTTGACAGATGCCTGA GGGACATCAGAGGGTCTCAA AGCTGCAAGGAAAGATCCAA TCCAGACACACCACGGATAA
For cloning Cloning for 3'UTR of ENPP1 Fw Cloning for 3'UTR of ENPP1 Fw ENPP1 3'UTR mutation Fw ENPP1 3'UTR mutation Rv	AAAGCGGCCGCAGAGTTAGAACGGAGCCCTCGG TTTCTCGAGGCCCTTAGGCCGTTGAAGAATGGT AAGTAGTTACTCCCATTGTCTGGATACCAGATATTTGAATCTTTCTTAC ACAATGGGAGTAACTACTTCTCCTTTAAGAGAAGCAGAAAGGCAG

Supplementary Table 4a: Primer sequences used for this study.

1. anti-miR-27b (miR-ZIP-27b)
5'-GGATCCGTTACAGCGGCTAAGTCCTAC-CTTCCTGTCAG- GCAGAACTTAGCCACTGTGA ATTTTTGAATTC-3'
2. anti-miR-23b (miR-ZIP-23b)
5'-GGATCCGATCACATCGCCAGGGACTAACCTTCCTGTCAG- GGTAATCCCTGGCAATGTGAT TTTTTTGAATTC-3'
3. Scramble Hairpin Control - Construct (for miRZip)
5'-gGATCCCTAAGGTTAAGTCGCCCTCGCTCTAGCGAGGGCGACTTAACCTTAGGTTTTTTGAATTc-3'
4. miR-27b o.e.
The sequence of hsa-mir-27b precursor was inserted.
5'-AGAACAGGTGCATCTCGTAGCTCTTCTTTGGAAACAAAAGAAGCCACCAGCTGAGGAAGATGCTCACCGG TCACCGTCCCTTTATTTATGCCAGCGATGACCTCTCTAACAAGGTGCAGAGCTTAGCTGATTGGTGAACA → miR-27b-3p sequence GTGATTGGTTTTCCGCTTTG TTCACAGTGGCTAAGTTCTGC ACCTGAAGAGAAGGTGAGATGGGGACAGTTA AGTTGGAGCCGCTGGGGCAGAGGCCGTTGCTGACGGGCCGCGCTGCTGCACAGTCAGCTTGGGTGC GGAGCGCGATCCTGGAG-3'

Supplementary Table 4b: Details of constructs for miR-27b knockdown and overexpression.

miRCURY LNA™ microRNA Power Inhibitor (EXIQON)
1. LNA miR-27b (hsa-miR-27b-3p): AGAACTTAGCCACTGTGA
2. Control LNA: TAACACGTCTATACGCCCA

Supplementary Table 4c: The sequences of LNA for miR-27b knockdown.